

## **City of Gaithersburg Press Release**

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## Celebrate Cultures from Around the World at DiverseCity Showcase May 11

**Gaithersburg, MD – (April 3, 2019)** In partnership with Lakeforest Mall, the City of Gaithersburg and its Multicultural Affairs Committee (MAC) presents the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual DiverseCity Showcase, a community celebration of music, dance, storytelling, and fashion, representing some of the many world cultures that enrich our lives in Gaithersburg. Demonstrations of Chinese and Arabic calligraphy and Indian henna tattoos will be featured. The MAC will also sponsor a trivia game with prizes of children's books donated by Discover Books. It takes place on Saturday, May 11, 2019, from noon to 4:30 p.m. at Lakeforest Mall, Center Court, 701 Russell Avenue. This event is free and is suitable for all ages.

Each performance is 25 minutes and includes a five to ten minute educational component.

Noon	Zhong Sheng Dance Group	Chinese Classical Folk
12:30 p.m.	Palestinian Community of the Metropolitan Area	Fashion Show
1 p.m.	DeColores Mexican Folk Dance Co.	Traditional Mexican Folk
1:30 p.m.	Kuchipudi Dance Academy	Classical Indian
2 p.m.	Diane Macklin	African Storytelling
2:30 p.m.	Juntos, Quince Orchard High School	Latin Dance
3 p.m.	Culkin School of Traditional Irish Dance	Irish Dance
3:30 p.m.	Armonias Peruanas	Peruvian Folk Dance

For more information about the DiverseCity Showcase visit the City's website at <a href="www.gaithersburgmd.gov">www.gaithersburgmd.gov</a> or call 301-258-6350.